## **CLAIMS**

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1. Use of the active molecule with the following formula:

where R = H or glucose, for the production of a composition designed to activate lipolysis.

- 2. Use as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that when the radical, R, is a glucose molecule, the molecule corresponds to cirsimarin.
- 3. Use as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that when the radical, R, is a hydrogen atom, the molecule corresponds to cirsimaritin.
  - 4. Use as claimed in any one of claims 1 to 3 in a cosmetic composition designed for topical treatment of cellulite.
  - 5. Use as claimed in claim 1 for the production of a composition designed to stimulate the synthesis of components of the extracellular matrix.

6. A cosmetic composition characterized in that it contains as its active ingredient the molecule with the following formula:

where R = H or R = glucose.

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- 7. A composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that when the radical, R, is glucose, it is cirsimarin.
- 8. A composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that when the radical, R, is hydrogen, it is cirsimaritin.
  - 9. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that the concentration of active ingredients is between 0.0005% and 10% by weight.

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- 10. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that the active ingredient is in the form of a plant extract.
- 11. A composition as claimed in claim 10, characterized in that the plant extract is an extract of *Microtea debilis*.
  - 12. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 10, characterized in that when the extract is in dry form, it accounts for between 0.005% and 20% by weight of the composition.

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13. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 10, characterized in that when the extract is in liquid form, it accounts for between 0.1% and 20% by weight of the composition.

- 14. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 10, characterized in that the extract is an extract of a whole plant.
- 15. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that it also contains a xanthic base.
  - 16. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 15, characterized in that the xanthic base is caffeine.
- 17. A composition as claimed in claim 16, characterized in that the caffeine accounts for between 0.1% and 10% by weight of the composition.
- 18. A cosmetic composition as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that it also contains a cosmetically acceptable vehicle.
  - 19. A cellulite treatment method consisting in locally applying an effective quantity of the cosmetic composition indicated in claims 6 to 18, in topical application.

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